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EDMUND SCHULLER ET AL.  
Serial No.: 10/071,780



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Title: PROCESS FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF A  
DISENTAGRATING ROLL OF AN OPEN-END SPINNING APPARATUS  
AS WELL AS A DISENTAGRATING ROLL MADE BY SUCH A PROCESS

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- [ ] Rule 53 signed Declaration enclosed.  
[ ] This is a Rule 47 filing per attached Petition.  
[ ] Enclosed: Original signed Declaration with attached specification (including claims) which is a copy of specification/claims originally filed to secure above filing date.  
[ ] Specification originally filed in non-English language; hence verified translation attached of:  
Abstract [ ] \_\_\_ pages of Specification (only spec. & claims) [ ] Drawing Figs.  
[ ] \_\_\_ sheet(s) of formal drawings enclosed: size: [ ] A4 [ ] 14" [ ] 8 1/2 by 11  
[ ] Attached is an assignment to \_\_\_\_\_  
[X] Priority is hereby claimed under rule 55 and 35 U.S.C. 119 based on prior foreign application(s) no(s).  
101 06 673.2, filed in GERMANY on FEBRUARY 14, 2001, respectively.  
Certified copy (copies) [X] attached; [ ] already filed on \_\_\_\_\_ in U.S. Application, Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_  
[ ] "Small Entity" status under Rules 9 & 27 claimed. [ ] Attached: \_\_\_ Verified Statement(s) establishing "small entity."  
[ ] Attached is the request return copy of the PTO Notice under Rule 52, 53, and/or 85.  
[X] Attached: SUBSTITUTE SPECIFICATION TO CORRECT LINE SPACING  
[ ] Preliminary Amendment: \_\_\_\_\_

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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

*Filing Date Granted*

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52 because:
  - Line spacing on the specification, claims, or abstract is not 1-1/2 or double spaced (See 37 CFR 1.52(b)).

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